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For: FLEXIBLE CANNULA

Group Art Unit No. 3731

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated August 30, 2007, Applicants have timely filed this response. Applicants select the inventions of claims 1-26 for prosecution that are drawn to a cannula device. Applicants further select Species I shown in FIGs. 1-6 for prosecution. At least claims 1-8, 10-22, and 24-26 read upon the elected species.